## IN THE UNITED TATES PATENT AND TRADE ARK OFFICE

Docket No. 6783

In re application of:

Terry Zimmerman et al

Serial No. 08/646,565

Filed: May 8, 1996

Group Art Unit: 2773

Examiner: S. Sax

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING ELECTRONIC PRICE LABEL

**OVERLAYS** 

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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	Amendment		Paid For	Present	Rate	Fee
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Independent Claims	6	-	6	0 X	\$ 82 =	\$ 0
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Attorney for: Terry Zimmerman et al.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

## In the Claims

2. (Twice amended) A method of managing EPL overlay data as the EPL overlay data changes during operation of an EPL system <u>in a store</u> comprising the steps of:

copying PLU descriptions from a PLU file in the EPL system to a PLU descriptions file;

